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St. James's, April 13.

THE following Addreſs having been tranſmitted by his Grace the Duke of Bolton, has been preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable James Craggs, Eſq; one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Juſtices of the Peace, and Proteſtant Free-holders of the County of Dublin, at a Seſſion of the Peace held at Kilmainham for the ſaid County, the 23d Day of March, Anno Domini, 1718.

May in pleaſe Your Majeſty.

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful, faithful and loyal Subjects the High Sheriff, Juſtices of the Peace, and Proteſtant Freeholders of the ſaid County, finding by your Majeſty's moſt gracious Speech to your Parliament in Great Britain, that an Invaſion is intended from Spain againſt your Majeſty's Dominions, in Favour of the Pretender to your Crown, do, in the moſt humble and hearty Manner, beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty of our Readineſs to defend your undoubted Title againſt that Perſon, and againſt all your Enemies of what Nature or Degree ſoever, whether ſecret or avowed.

And we likewiſe beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty, that we do from our Hearts, and with the greateſt Deteſtation, abhor the Principles of all thoſe whoſe Actions give too juſt Reaſon to ſuſpect they favour the Pretender, in Violation of the Oaths which they have taken to ſupport and defend your Majeſty, and the Succeſſion in your Royal Houſe.

As we of this County have ever ſhewn a ſteady Zeal for your moſt Sacred Perſon and Government (on which the Proteſtant Religion throughout Europe under God hath the greateſt Dependance) ſo we think our ſelves bound, not only in Duty, but alſo in Affection and Loyalty, to teſtifie to your Majeſty and the World our Sincerity upon this Occaſion (as we ſhall upon all others) to ſerve your Majeſty with the utmoſt Hazard of our Lives and Fortunes; and we ſhall ever pray that the Deſigns of your Majeſty's Enemies, both at home and abroad, may not only be diſappointed, but that by the Bleſſing of God upon your Councils and Arms they may always be turned to their own Confuſion.

An humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriff, and the reſt of the Common Council of Newcaſtle upon Tyne, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Matthew Fetherſtonhaugh and Henry Dalſton, Eſqs; Aldermen of that Town, accompanied by Sir Richard Wynn, Kt. Serjeant at Law and others; being introduced by his Grace the Duke of Richmond; and they had the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand.

Which Addreſſes His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

Paris, April 19. Yeſterday the King went into Mourning for the late Prince of Bavaria, who was elected Biſhop of Munſter. On the 16th Madame de Maintenon died at St. Cyr, in the 84th Year of her Age. The King, by the Advice of the Duke Regent, has ſettled a conſiderable yearly Revenue on the Colleges of this Univerſity, for the Maintenance of a good Number of Scholars. The Dutcheſs of Berry is indiſpoſed of an Ague at Meudon.

Hague, April 18. The Count de la Mark, late Ambaſſadour of France at the Court of Sweden, ſet out for Paris on the 16th Inſtant: General Rank is daily expected here from Sweden in his way to Paris. Yeſterday M. Grus, the Daniſh Reſident, preſented a Memorial to the States General, notifying to them by order of the King his Maſter, that his Daniſh Majeſty had reſolved to block up the Swediſh Ports of the North Sea, to hinder all neutral Ships from entring and furniſhing the Swedes with Corn, Proviſions, or Stores of War; it being alledged, that without ſuch Supplies the Swedes could not have made the late Irruption into Norway; and that this Method of blocking up their Ports, is neceſſary to prevent their invading that Kingdom again. This Morning the ſaid Reſident had a Conference with the Deputies of the States General upon this Subject.

Hague, April 21. On the 19th Inſtant the Swediſh Miniſter received Letters of Notification from the Queen of Sweden, for the States General, which he delivered to them Yeſterday. Like Letters

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